(*e*) regulate covers, forms, dimensions, maximum weights and enclosures and the use of Anchal articles, other than letters, for making communications.

(3) Anchal articles shall be posted and delivered at such times and in such manner as the Anchal Superintendent may, by order, from time to time, appoint."

Seconded by Mr. Mahadeva Iyer.

Carried.

Section 22.

Mr. Subba Iyer proposed that in Sub-section (2) of this Section, after the words "in contravention of", the words and figures "Section 19, Clause (*a*) or of" be inserted.

Seconded by Mr. Mahadeva Iyer.

Carried.

Mr. Kesava Pillai said that the power to open should be restricted in respect of the articles referred to only in Clauses (*a*) and (*b*) of Sub-section (2) of Section 20, and he proposed that the words and figures "Sub-section (2), Clauses (*a*) and (*b*)" be inserted after the word and figures "Section 20" in line 8 of Sub-section (2).

Seconded by Mr. Sesha Iyer.

Carried.

Mr. Subba Iyer proposed that in Sub-section (3) of the Section, for Clause (*b*), the following be substituted, *viz*:—"(*b*) any Anchal article sent by Anchal in contravention of the provisions of Section 19 may be disposed of in such manner as Our Government may by rule direct".

Seconded by Mr. Aiyappan Pillai.

Carried.

Section 23.

Mr. Subba Iyer proposed that, for the words "Where an Anchal article, suspected to contain any contraband goods" in lines 1 to 3, the words "Except as otherwise porvided for in this Regulation, where an Anchal article suspected to contain any goods of which the import by Anchal or the transmission by Anchal is prohibited by or under any enactment for the time being in force" be substituted.

Seconded by Mr. Aiyappan Pillai.

Carried.

Section 23 A.

Mr. Subba Iyer proposed that the following be inserted as Section 23 A:—

Power to intercept notified goods during transmission by Anchal.

23 A. Where a Notification has been published under Section 18 of the Sea Customs Regulation, V of 1085, in respect of any goods of any specified description, any officer of the Anchal Department empowered in this behalf by Our Government may search, or cause search to be made, for any such goods in course of transmission by Anchal, and shall deliver all Anchal articles reasonably believed or found to contain such goods to such officer as Our Government may appoint in this behalf, and such goods may be disposed of in such manner as Our Government may direct. In carrying out any such search, such officer of the Anchal Department may open or unfasten, or cause to be opened or unfastened, any newspaper or any book, pattern or sample packet in course of transmission by Anchal."

Seconded by Mr. Poonen.

Carried.

Section 27.

Mr. Kesava Pillai said that the amount of twice the fee mentioned in Clause (c) of Sub-section (2) appeared to be the maximum to be fixed by the rules, but the wording, as it stood, empowered the Government to fix only twice the fee and did not give it a discretion to levy any fee below that rate. He therefore proposed that the words "an amount not exceeding" be inserted between the words "that" and "twice" in line 1 of Clause (c).

Seconded by Mr. Madhavan Tampy.

Carried.

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